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### WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Siegenthaler, Peter **Report No:** WIR-023120 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 27-Apr-2011

City: Oakland, CA 94607

**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Arrival Time:** 700 **OSM Departure Time:** 1900 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

**CWI Name:** Liu Hua Jie. **CWI Present:** Yes No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** No Yes N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:** No

**Bridge No:** 34-0006 **Component:** OBG components.

### **Summary of Items Observed:**

On this day CALTRANS OSM Quality Assurance Inspector (QA) Mr. Shailesh Wadkar was present during the times noted above for observations relative to the fabrication of the Self Anchored Suspension (SAS) Superstructure being performed by Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) at Changxing Island, in Shanghai, China. QA Inspector observed and/or found the following:

Bay 14:

This QA Inspector observed the following work in progress:

OBG Seg 13AE:

This QA Inspector observed that for weld joint no: Seg3007L-124 [RS7001D stiffener on Side Panel (SP) 3069A, to Floor Beam (FB) 3124A, at Panel Point (PP) 119-1500], the welding is done as a complete joint penetration (CJP) weld with backing bar. However, it was observed that the backing bar was in two (2) pieces and was tack welded with RS7001D stiffener. Also a gap of approx. 14mm was observed between these two pieces of backing bar. This QA Inspector informed about this issue to ZPMC CWI, identified as Mr. Geng Wei, and it was agreed that ZPMC will refer this issue to their Engineer before taking any corrective actions. See attached photos for further details.

Seg 14E:

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This QA Inspector observed this segment been shifted to Trial Assembly area.

Notification no: 008951.

OBG Seg 13AE:

This QA inspector performed Ultrasonic Testing (UT) of approximately 10% of the area previously tested and accepted by ZPMC QC personnel. This QA Inspector generated a UT report on this date. The members are identified as OBG components. The weld designations reviewed are as follows:

- 1) Seg3007J-052 to 057
- 2) Seg3007L-094, 097, 114, 098, 101, 102, 103, 106, 107, 122, 123.

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable Contract documents.







### **Summary of Conversations:**

No significant conversations were reported on this date.

## **Comments**

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or

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remedial efforts please contact Eric Tsang; phone: 15000422372., who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Wadkar, Sailesh	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Peterson,Art	QA Reviewer